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In re Application of:)
Masato JIMBO) Group Art Unit: 1733
Application No.: 10/648,269) Examiner: Yao, Sam Chuan C.
Filed: August 27, 2003) Confirmation No.: 5208
For: NONWOVEN FABRIC,)
HYGROSCOPIC MEMBER, METHOD)
AND APPARATUS FOR PRODUCING)
NONWOVEN FABRIC AND ORGANIC)
ELECTROLUMINESCENCE DISPLAY)

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Sir:

PETITION FOR WITHDRAWAL OF PATENT FROM ISSUE

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.313(c)(2), Applicant hereby respectfully petitions the Commissioner to withdraw the above-identified application from issue. According to the fee schedule set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(h), the required fee of \$130.00 for consideration of this Petition is enclosed herewith.

This request for a withdrawal from issue of a prospective United States patent is made for the causes set forth below which it is respectfully submitted constitute good and sufficient reasons for the action sought.

This request for withdrawal from issue is made to allow the Applicant to submit for the Examiner's consideration a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) accompanied by an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS), which is being filed today. The withdrawal of the present application is necessary in order to permit the Office to consider this additional information before a patent is granted.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants respectfully request that this application be withdrawn from issue.

Please grant any extensions of time required to enter this response and charge any additional required fees to our deposit account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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